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### Another Boundary Question.

The news from California confirms the reports that some trouble is likely to arise out of the separate claims of this government and that of Great Britain to the island of San Juan, at the

remember the famous controversy which arose between these two governments respecting the Oregon boundary, and the near approach to war which that controversy occasioned. The British press, as usual in such controversies, indulged in a large and illiberal share of detraction of the American people and the American government, and these daily irritations had a great deal to do with increasing in this country the popular cry of "fifty four, forty, or fight" which denoted the readiness of the people of the United States to stand by the Government in all it claimed. More temporary discussion between the heads of the respective governments induced

President Polk came down to forty nine as the peace preserving ultimatum. Out of that boundary treaty arises this new dispute, which probably would never have grown into any significance or moment but for the Frazer River discovery of gold and the settlements and towns which began to spring up at the mouth of that stream and on the adjoining bay. The increase of population and the better knowledge of the resources

possession, and hence the dispute which has arisen about the Island of San Juan. By the treaty between Great Britain and the U. S., it is provided that the boundary line between the British possessions and those of this country shall run along the forty ninth parallel from the base of Santa Rosa to the 11th meridian.

Between where the line leaves the forty ninth parallel and the point where it enters the straits of Fuca there is the Archipelago de Haro through

When leaving the Rio Chumbeiro river, the two main ones being the Rosario strait and the Canal de Arfaro. The former is one used by vessels going from the ocean to the mouth of Frazer River, but the latter is the wider, though obstructed by some small islets. Both are wide channels, deep enough for the largest ships. Between them lie

Lopez, and Orcas Islands, and altogether they may include about 200 square miles of land, or 128,000 acres. San Juan Island is the most valuable, and has about 70,000 acres. The British assert that the Rosario strait is the main channel," meant by the treaty, and the Americans say the Canal de Haro is meant.

and the settlement of that dispute will determine who is to be the owner of the island. General Harney has taken military possessions of the island, and some of our journals are anticipating a trouble from this fact. But there need not be the least excitement about the matter. The question is one of construction of treaties, and

ical of dispute when the rights attempted to be defined by words come to be settled, yet if both parties enter into the discussion in a spirit of justice and of fair dealing, and exact nothing of each other but what is right and proper, there need be no trouble in the settlement. There is

and asserting that we are right. If we are, it will be time enough to make an outcry when our rights are refused after a proper hearing. The two governments can settle it best free from the embarrassments which popular discussion would occasion.—*Philadelphia Ledger*.

New York, Sept. 10.  
An aerial ship, called the City of New York, intended for a trans-Atlantic voyage, has been in the course of construction for some months past, in the vicinity of this city, and is now so nearly completed that she will be ready to un-

in charge of the enterprise is Mr. Lowe, of New Hampshire, who has made several successful ascensions. The dimensions of the ship are greater than those of any balloon previously built. The capacity of the gas receiver is 725,000 cubic feet; the aggregate height of the balloon is 100 feet.

Mr. Lowe proposes to go directly from New York to London in from forty-eight to sixty-four hours. Dropping below the basket is a metallic life-boat in which is placed an Ericsson engine, a particular purpose is the control of a propeller.

The application of the mechanical power is ingeniously devised. The propeller is fixed in the bow of the life-boat, projecting at an angle of about forty-five degrees. From a wheel at the extremity twenty fans radiate; each of these fans

Mr. Lowe claims that by the application of these mechanical contrivances, his air ship can be readily raised or lowered to seek different currents of air; that they will give him ample

**How Tomatoes Should be Cooked**—The *New York Tribune* is not at all satisfied with the way people cook tomatoes. Here are its directions: This delicious, wholesome vegetable is spoiled

is simply scalded and served as a sour porridge. It should be cooked three hours—it can not be cooked in one. The fruit should be cut in halves and the seeds scraped out. The muscilage of the pulp may be saved, if desired, by straining out the seeds, and adding it to the fruit, which


and a bowl rapidly for an hour, and stand for one hour more, until the water is dissolved, and the contents of the sauce pan a pulp of mucilaginous matter, which is much improved by putting in the pan, either before putting in the fruit or while it is cooking, an ounce of butter and half pound of fat bacon, cut fine, to half

with salt to suit the taste. The fat adds a pleasant flavor, and makes the dish actual food, instead of a mere relish. The pan must be carefully watched, and but little fire used, and the mass stirred often to prevent burning toward the bottom, when the water is nearly all evaporated. The dish may be rendered still more attractive

**Meeting of the State Board**—The State Board of Agriculture met at the Depaw House this morning, and authorized the President and the

make the necessary preparations for the Fair. They also held an interview with Dr D D Owen, and appointed him to make a geological survey of the State, to commence in the Southern part, between the 15th of this month and the 1st of October. His compensation has already been ordered by the Legislature at \$5,000. The next

meeting of the Board will be one week before the  
commencement of the Fair — *N. A. Ledger*.

 A married friend says he intends to join  
the Abolitionists, because one of the preambles  
reads thus :  
Whereas, there can be no right *u*ncracted,

He affirms that he has not had "control" of his "own person" since the day of his "happy union" with Mrs. Smith, and he now goes to the "biggest liberty."

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